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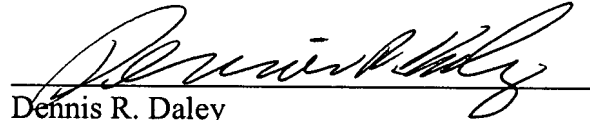
The present communication, filed alongside an Amendment and Response on the above-designated date, attaches a copy of a previously-filed Preliminary Amendment which accompanied the original U.S. filing of this patent application. The undersigned notes that the Patent Application Information Retrieval (PAIR) system does not include this Preliminary Amendment document. The Preliminary Amendment was confirmed as received by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office by return postcard, also attached, as well as by indicating receipt in the Notice of Missing Requirements mailed on June 17, 2005.

The claims of the Amendment and Response filed herewith are based on the claims presented in the Amendment and Response mailed April 10, 2007, and therefore incorporate the claim amendments reflected in the attached preliminary amendment. The Examiner indicated in a phone call on October 29, 2007, that she will proceed to examine the claims as presented in this Amendment and Response. It is requested that the Preliminary Amendment be included in the electronic and physical files maintained by the U.S.P.T.O. for reference by the Examiner, as well as for completeness of the patent application file.

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- ☒ 2 sheets of formal drawings
- ☒ An unsigned Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney
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